

## NOTICE OF GRANT AVAILABILITY

**NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:**

Child Evaluation Centers  
Special Child Health and Early Intervention Svs.

**GRANT PROGRAM NO.** 06-58-SCH**STATUTORY AUTHORITY:**

N.J.S.A. 26:2-60 Title V of the Social Security  
Act, Maternal and Child Health Block Grant

**TYPE OF AWARDS TO BE ISSUED:**

Cost-reimbursement Grants

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**PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS WILL BE USED:**

Child Evaluation Centers are funded to provide a variety of evaluative services to assess the needs of children with congenital or acquired neurodevelopmental disorders including communication, learning and behavioral disorders.

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**AMOUNT OF MONEY IN THE GRANT PROGRAM:**

Funds available for this program are contingent on State and Federal appropriations as well as some Casino funds. Approximately \$2 million is expected to be available to support 11 centers. The grant period is from July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2006.

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**ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS MUST COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:**

1. Terms and Conditions for the Administration of Grants.
2. General and specific Grant Compliance requirements issued by the Granting Agency.
3. Applicable Federal Cost Principles relating to the Applicant.

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**GROUP OR ENTITIES WHICH MAY APPLY FOR THE GRANT PROGRAM:**

Public and private non-profit medical facilities which are licensed in New Jersey, and accredited by the Joint Commission Accreditation of Healthcare Organization.

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**QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED BY APPLICANT TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A GRANT:**

Applicants must meet criteria for funding available from the program. Preference will be given to continuation of existing applicants who have performed satisfactorily.

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**APPLICATION PROCEDURES:**

Agencies will receive continuation applications on or before March 14, 2005.

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**DEADLINE BY WHICH APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED:**

Application deadline is April 17, 2005.

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**APPLICANT SHALL BE NOTIFIED WHETHER THEY WILL RECEIVE FUNDS:**

Notification of award will be made on/or about May 19, 2005.